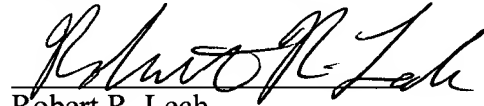


Entry of this amendment and allowance of claims 1-21 are respectfully requested.

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